

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/046,261	TAKAGAWA ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Tuan T Dinh	2827	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Tuan T Dinh. (3)_____.

(2) Juan Carlos A. Marquez. (4)_____.

Date of Interview: 11 September 2003.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

RECEIVED
SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER
TECHNICAL CENTER 2800

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Election/Restrictions

Species I. Claims 1-9 are drawn to a semiconductor device comprising a power supply circuit, and two field effect transistors (FETs) as shown in figure 1.

Species II. Claims 10-15 are drawn to a semiconductor device comprising horizontal and vertical FET's as shown in figure.5

Species III. Claims 16-17 are drawn to a semiconductor device with one FET, as shown in figure.8

Species IV. Claim 18, drawn to a semiconductor device with two FET, as shown in figure.6A

Because these inventions are distinct for the reasons given above and the search required for any of Group I-IV is not required for the other of Group I-IV, restriction for examination purposes as indicated is proper.

Therefore, Mr. Juan Carlos A. Marquez was contacted on September 11, 2003 for an election restriction. Mr. Marquez elected claims 1-9 without traverse to expedite prosecution of the invention. Claims 10-18 are withdrawn from further consideration by the examiner, 37 CFR 1.142(b), as being drawn to a non-elected invention.

As claims 1-9 are allowable, Mr. Marquez also agreed to cancel claims 10-18 to allow claims 1-9 to be issued. Applicant authorizes examiner to do examiner's amendment.